

Tamati Wins Big!



Well known around Methven, Tamati Wairepo has just received a prestigious award.

Annie Jacobs

Tamati shifted to Methven when he was 15, which is where he discovered the gym.

"My Mum, Julieanne (well known for her painting skills around Methven), homeschooled me from the start of Year 10. We moved from Ashburton up to Pudding Hill. There were no other kids

about," said Tamati. Determined to meet other people, Tamati set off for Mountain Gym. Josephine Tanner was on reception that day, and she took Tamati under her wing.

"I clicked with Josephine, she introduced me to classes. From that day on I wanted

to do it. Other people helped me too like Shaz Kermode. I would see her doing stuff on the floor, and wondered if I could do it too. Shaz was always so bubbly and encouraging. At the gym is where I found my fitness route," Tamati says.

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Tamati Wins Big!

Small communities can be really challenging when you want to branch out, and branching out was what Tamati did. He joined the Methven gym, EA Network Gym in Ashburton, and a gym in Christchurch as well, and committed to classes in each gym.

"My Dad was my taxi driver. He was amazing. He would drive me all the way to Christchurch to do a class, then all the way back down to EA to do another one."

Tamati introduced himself to the owners and managers, and offered his help and support with any odd jobs or work needing doing.

The Christchurch gym was doing some recruitment, and Ben drove Tamati up there. "Maureen Baker was there, (first New Zealand Aerobic Champion)," remembers Tamati. "She and Rae Wood are both strong women who are well thought of in the industry, and here they were mentoring me."

I later found out that Maureen handpicked me from that group of 30 on the recruitment day. I was the happiest boy in the world. Here I was with lots of mature people supporting me, and I felt a really strong sense of community and belonging."

Tamati has been living in Christchurch for the last five years, and is now a group instructor with Les Mills in Christchurch.

Last Friday was the New Zealand Exercise Industry Awards, and it was Tamati who won Exercise New Zealand Group Fitness Instructor of the Year (pre-choreographed section).

"This is a very prestigious award. There were five others in this category. You can imagine how many group instructors there are throughout New Zealand," shared Josephine.

"My main thing in my classes is to create an inclusive space where everyone feels welcomed, because in the world today there is so much out there that makes people feel like they don't belong," says Tamati.

"People ask, 'What gets you motivated?' I love being around people and uplifting people. I feel very privileged to be in this position. The whole thing with this award is that I am genuinely grateful for being recognised - it's come as such a shock to me. I am the youngest person to receive this award, (Tamati is 23 years old). I'm on a bit of a high at the moment!"

A prestigious award for a most worthy recipient!

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People's Choice Finalists

The five finalists in the ANZ Business of the Year Awards People's Choice in Retail Category have been announced.

Just over 500 votes were cast when the voting period ended on 30 November and the top five (in no particular order) are The Stork Network, Big Al's, Stoked Cycles, Hyundai Mid Canterbury and Garage Gym.

The winner and runner-up in the People's Choice in Retail category will be announced at the awards gala evening on 18 February 2022.

Ashburton District Council is partnering with ANZ and Ri Ra Events to host the inaugural event, which aims to recognise and promote local business excellence. Council Community Services Group Manager Steve Fabish said voting in the People's Choice award had been close and just one vote separated first and second.

"It has been great to see people voting for their favourite business or outlet and it turned out to be as close as it can get. There were 11 businesses in the category and they were a real variety, all with good voting support. We look forward to honouring the finalists and winners of all the different categories at the awards evening next year."

The ANZ Business of the Year Awards also features an award for a future business leader and categories for primary industries, export, tourism, manufacturing, not-for-profit and technology and innovation. A supreme winner will be decided by Ashburton Mayor Neil Brown.

Mayor Brown said the district's business community had dealt with a lot in the past two years.

"Covid has had quite an impact and forced many to rethink how they connect with customers. The majority of our local businesses are small to medium enterprises and they have had to adapt to new and changing circumstances. I'm proud of our whole business community, from those selling coffee to those fixing tractors. As a district, we will emerge from these challenging times in reasonably good shape. All our prospects are intertwined, so supporting our local businesses and services is very important."

Finalists in the other categories will be announced later this month.



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Simon Wareing and William Jacobs from Philip Wareing Ltd

William is thoroughly enjoying the work, and really enjoys the hands on nature of what he is learning.

"When I first started, my workshop manager, Tom, said, "Well I don't believe in apprentices being on the end of a broom for six months, you'll be getting straight into the business," William said, "and I really like and have appreciated that. I get lots of variety and I'm learning heaps."

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Diligence Across All Subjects in Year 7 **Lucas Mann, Keira McGinity, Brooke Wheeler.** Year 8 **Catriona Burrows, Pippa Clark, Robbie Humm.**

The Marr Family Award is awarded to a student who accepts challenges and exhibits the school motto "Strive for Excellence" **Anna Quigley.**

Merit Awards Year 7 **Cash Baker** Art. **Hunter Dirks** English. **Hunter Green** Food and Textile Technology. **Stacey Hayes** Art. **James Irwin** Health and Physical Education. **Quinn Jansen** Social Studies. **Matilda Jordan** Science. **Cordell Keepa** Health and Physical Education. **Kennen Nicholas** Art. **Taylor Watt** Food and Textile Technology. **Cooper Baker** Language, English. **Hamish Campbell** Food and Textile Technology, Mathematics. **Mackenzie Currie** Food and Textile Technology, Science. **Charlotte Giles** Food and Textile Technology, English. **Cayla Maher** Art and Technology Hard Materials. **Archie Maw** Science and Technology Hard Materials. **Teaghan Preece** Mathematics, English. **Lamont Davidson** Art, Food and Textile Technology, Languages.

Year 8 **Eli Ahotaeiloa** Music. **Madelyn Chivers** Technology Hard Materials. **Stella Clyne** Technology. **Keeley Galbraith** Science. **Liam Harden** Art. **Taylor Harmer** Music. **Mitchell Keller** Mathematics.

William Brown Health and Physical Education, Technology Hard Materials. **Lucy Farrell** Digital Technology, Health and Physical Education. **Jamie King** Health and Physical Education, Mathematics. **Tobi Peek** Health and Physical Education, Technology Hard Materials. **Mac Smith** Health and Physical Education, Music. **Pinky Ancheta** Health and Physical Education, Mathematics, Music. **Holly Thompson** Digital Technology, Science, English.

Extra Curricular Awards Year 7 Choir Dedication and Commitment to Choir **Isabel Hutana.** Tennis Rodger Harris Memorial Trophy for Junior Girls' Tennis **Penny Redfern.**

Year 8 Art-The Ponweiser Cup for Contribution to Art **Harriet Brown.** Written and Spoken Communication -Diana Limbrick Family Cup for Excellence **Harriet Brown.** Concert Band-Dedication and Commitment to Concert Band **Emma Armour.** Music-Most Improved Itinerant Music Student **Taryn Williams.** Performing Arts-Contribution to Art **Emma Armour.** Tennis-Rodger Harris Memorial Trophy for Junior Boys' Tennis **Jamie King.**

Special Awards Year 7 School Involvement in Year 7 **Oliver Bellew, Jasmine Chalke, Jeziel Lopez, Finn McGrath, Rylan McSweeney, Ella Quinn.** The Reach for

the Stars PRIDE Award for the highest achieving students in Year 7 of PRIDE Awards **May McCaw.** School Involvement in Year 8 **Tilly Johnson, William Jones, Jamie King, Jordan Oates, Max Rooney, Taryn Williams.** The Reach for the Stars PRIDE Award for the highest achieving student in Year 8 of PRIDE Awards **Olivia Keane.** Citizenship in Year 7 **Mackenzie Currie, Bridget Glass, Hunter Green, Isabel Hutana, Charlie Judd, Lacey Wallace.** Citizenship in Year 8 **William Brown, Emma Bungard, Robbie Humm, Issy Marr, Sophia Maw, Jak Van Den Heuvel.**

Excellence Awards Year 7 **Oliver Bellew** Mathematics. **Kabir Chhetri** Languages. **Sharleese Greenall** Music. **Connor Jenkins** Health and Physical Education. **Ryley Kennedy** Health and Physical Education, Art, Merit in Technology Hard Materials. **Flynn Harden** Music, Merit in Art. **Charlie Leitis** Technology Hard Materials, Merit in Health and Physical Education. **Elliot Markillie** Health and Physical Education, Merit in Technology and Hard Materials. **Bree Muir** Food and Textile Technology, Merit in Music. **Casey Ness** Food and Textile Technology, Merit in Art. **Tamika Preece** Mathematics, Merit in Art. **Struan Robertson** Health and Physical Education, Merit in Social Studies. **Willow**



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Merit in Health and Physical Education. **Ethan Muckle** Mathematics, Technology Hard Materials, English, Merit in Music. **Zyra Pervera** Food and Textile Technology, Mathematics, Social Studies, Merit in Health and Physical Education, Music, English. **Victoria Waite** Languages, Social Studies, English, Merit in Food and Textile Technology, Music, Science, Technology Hard Materials. **Juliet Ensor** Art, Food and Textile Technology, Social Studies, English, Merit in Mathematics. **Grace Newport** Mathematics, Music, Technology Hard Materials, Social Studies, Merit in English. **Penny Redfern** Technology Hard Materials, Languages, Social Studies, English, Merit in Health and Physical Education. **Ella Quinn** Food and Textile Technology, Health and Physical Education, Music, Science, Merit in Mathematics, English, Social Studies. **Konrad Furndorfler** Health and Physical Education, Mathematics, Music, Technology Hard Materials, Languages, Merit in Art, Social Studies. **Stella Hamilton** Art, Science, Languages, Social Studies, English, Merit in Mathematics, Music.

The Rakaia Seed Cleaning Prize for General Excellence in Year 7 **May McCaw** Excellence in Art, Food and Textile Technology, Mathematics, Music, Social Studies, English, Merit in Health and Physical Education, Science, Technology Hard Materials, Languages.

Year 8: **Ryan Dwyer** Health and Physical Education. **William Jones** Art. **Monty Kelk** Health and Physical Education. **Gishbert Pangilinan** Health and Physical Education. **Jesse Phillips** Digital Technology. **Anna Quigley** Languages. **Sam Warburton** Digital Technology. **Matthew Glass** Music, Merit in English. **Alise Maher** Art, Merit in Languages. **Asia McMahon** Languages, Merit in Art, Social Studies. **Emma Armour** Art, Merit in Mathematics, Music, Technology Hard Materials. **Olivia Keane** Languages, Merit in Art, Science, Social Studies. **Georgia Monk** English, Merit in Art, Mathematics, Languages, Social Studies. **Tilly Johnson** Health and Physical Education, Merit in Art, Music, Technology Hard Materials, Languages, Social Studies. **Issy Marr** Health and Physical Education, Technology Hard Materials. **Max Rooney** Health and Physical Education, Mathematics. **Amy Molyneux** Languages and English, Merit in Social Studies. **Sophia Maw** Digital Technology, Science, Social Studies, Merit in Languages. **Charles Morris** Art, Music, Technology Hard Materials, Merit in Digital Technology, English. **Elsie Dargue** Music, Science, Technology Hard Materials, Merit in Health and Physical Education, Mathematics, English. **Jak Van Den Heuvel** Digital Technology, Music, Technology Hard Materials, Merit in Mathematics, Languages, Social Studies, English. **Rose Fletcher-Young** Health and

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The Ashburton District Council Prize for General Excellence in Year 8 **Chloe Lowe** Excellence in Mathematics, Music, Science, Languages, Social Studies, English.

Year 9 & 10

Diligence Awards across all subjects Year 9: **Holly Boag, Max Helem, Ava Henson Friend.** Year 10: **Soni Ahotaeiloa, Tara Annan, Cody Etheridge.**

Merit Awards Year 9: **Maxwell Askew** Art. **Byron Campbell** Physical Education. **Savannah Clark** Design and Visual Communication. **William Davey** Music. **Austin Ford** Physical Education. **Jett Jansen** Physical Education. **Keira Jenkins** Food and Textile Technology. **Ella Mielnik** Food and Textile Technology. **Noah Monson** Art. **Amie Worner-Mangin** Art. **Michael Griffiths** Mathematics, Physical Education. **Ryan Richan** Mathematics and Technology Hard Materials. **Georgia Gardner** Design and Visual Communication, English, Food and Textile Technology, Technology Hard Materials.

Year 10: **Tia Baisagale** Food and Textile Technology. **Ruben Birt** Health and Physical Education. **Toby Brown** Health

and Physical Education. **Nikita Burton** Agriculture. **Dante Davidson** Health and Physical Education. **Jessica Heaven** Social Studies. **Criztel Hernandez** Social Studies. **Alice Jackson** Business Studies. **Jack Keane** Health, Business Studies. **Casey Phillips** Technology Hard Materials. **John McConaghy** Mathematics. **Caitlin McKay-Rooney** Art. **Stefan Struwig** Agriculture. **Abbie Wilson-James** English. **Caleb Barr** Digital Technology, Mathematics. **Kerstin Burrows** Health and Physical Education, Technology Hard Materials. **Rebekah Kalweit** Health and Physical Education, Science. **Layla Manning** Business Studies, Health and Physical Education. **Diego Sungahid** Agriculture, Digital Technology. **Melenaite Tuamoheloa** Health and Physical Education, Maori, Science. **Mischka Van Staden** Art, Mathematics, Social Studies, Technology Hard Materials.

Extra Curricular Awards Year 9: Basketball Most Promising Player **Byron Campbell.** Choir Award for Dedication & Commitment **Matt Castil.** Chamber Music Award for Dedication & Commitment to Ensemble **Seb Booth.** Football Most Promising Player **Lua Otaki.** Music Most Improved Itinerant Music Student **Lucas Plimmer.**

Year 10: Art-The Oram Cup for Contribution to Art **Mia Braidwood, Shellie Ermio.** Choir Award for Dedication & Commitment to Choir **Fritz Marc Pajo.** Concert Band Award for Dedication & Commitment to Concert Band **Genna Oates.** Netball McTigue Cup Sportsmanship in Junior Netball **Rose Dargue.** Performing Arts Thirza Currie Trophy for Commitment to the Performing Arts **Lucy Reeve.** Rugby Leadership and Sportsmanship Trophy **Henry King.** Tennis Girls' Year



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School Involvement in Year 10 **Caleb Barr, Isabella Casey-Solly, Steffi Furndorfler, Henry King, Caden McSweeney, Lucy Reeve**. Citizenship in Year 10 **Jack Keane, Jessie Lill, Joshua McKenzie, Alice Miers, Fritz Marc Pajo, Morgan Welsh**. Green Family Cups Awarded for Top Year 10

Citizenship **Henry King, Lucy Reeve**. The Social Studies "Thinking Outside of the Square" **Arlo Bruce**. Outstanding Contribution to Current Events **Jess Moore**. Jeanette Paul Award for Enthusiasm & Contribution in Technology **Steffi Furndorfler**. Outdoor Education Contribution and Enthusiasm **Henry King**. South Pacific Seeds Prize Interest and Enthusiasm in Agriculture **Jess Moore**. Presbyterian Support Cup awarded to a student who has shown excellence in assisting others through their supportive attitudes and actions **Jessie Lill**. The Reach for the Stars PRIDE Award for the highest achieving student of PRIDE Awards in 2021 **Jess Moore**.

Excellence Awards Year 9 **Lucas Harrison-Hastie** Technology Hard Materials. **Ruby Keeley** Art. **Bree Lough** Maori. **Archie McKerrow** Technology Hard Materials.

Finn Veix Physical Education. **Mackenzie Baty** Art. **Niko Holgate** Technology Hard Materials, Merit in Physical Education. **Lua Otaki** Physical Education, Merit in Design and Visual Communication. **Seb Booth** Music, Merit in Art, Food and Textile Technology. **Matt Castil** Music, Merit in Art, English. **James Ferguson-Cooke** Technology Hard Materials, Merit in Art, Physical Education. **Annabelle Waite** Food and Textile Technology, Merit in English, Social Studies. **Olivia McCambridge** Design and Visual Communication, Merit in Music, Physical Education, Science. **Holly Watson** Design and Visual Communication, Merit in English, Science, Social Studies. **Eirene Mallari** Mathematics, Merit in Art, Design and Visual Communication, English, Food and Textile Technology, Maori, Music, Science, Technology Hard Materials. **Liam Chalke** Physical Education, Technology Hard Materials. **Aidan Gorman** English, Social Studies, Merit in Art, Design and Visual Communication. **Mungo Gormly** English, Music, Merit in Maori, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies. **Joel Barangay** Art, Design and Visual Communication, Science. **Samantha Wooding** Art, Mathematics, Music, Merit in Food and Textile Technology, Science. **Hebe Gormly** English, Maori, Mathematics, Merit in Art, Design and Visual Communication, Music, Social Studies. **Lucy Cowie** Maori, Mathematics, Music, Merit in Art, English, Food and Textile Technology, Science, Social Studies. **Jordan Imms-Protheroe** English, Food and Textile Technology, Maori, Science, Merit in Music, Social Studies. **Lexi Hooker** Music, Physical Education, Social Studies, Technology Hard Materials, Merit in Maori, Science. **Ricky Davies** Design and Visual Communication, English, Food and Textile Technology, Music, Merit in Art, Maori, Science, Technology Hard Materials. **Anabel Gorman** Art, Design and Visual

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The Snowfed Builders Prize with the Veteran Cup for General Excellence in Year 10 **Lucy Reeve** Excellence in Art, Design and Visual Communication, English, Health and Physical Education, Music, Social Studies, Science, Merit in Mathematics.

Kids Activity morning this Friday

Wellbeing Opuke are hosting a Christmas Holiday Kids Activities morning at Mount Hutt Memorial Hall on Friday from 10am-12pm.

"Over 40 children have been registered so far," said organiser Jess Wilson.

Ashburton Museum, Art Gallery, Library and EA Networks are collaborating with Wellbeing Opuke to host the activity morning.

Methven Primary School Prizegiving Results

Sporting Cups: MPS Excellence in Swimming **Halo Cooksley**. MPS Excellence in Athletics **Flynn Whittaker**. Methven Primary Triathlon Fastest Male (Donated by Brown Family) **Josh Lowe**. Methven Primary Triathlon Fastest Female (Donated by Brown Family) **Annalise King**.

Academic Cups: MPS Robinson Cup for Public Speaking **Kate Ferguson-Cooke**. MPS Excellence in English (Donated by J. Don) **Frida Wood**. MPS Excellence in Mathematics (Donated by G. Smith) **Tiger McMahon**.

Cultural Cups: Music Scholarship (Donated by Fiona Maw) **Max McKay**. Boys Award for Dedication and Commitment in Cultural Activities (Donated by Isherwood Family) **Patterson Johnson**. Girls Award for Dedication and Commitment in Cultural Activities (Donated by Isherwood Family) **Lily Newport**. The Arts (Donated by Hannah Kidd) **Gus Morris**.

Class STAR Awards: Mahuri S **Hugo Dalley**, Mahuri G **Lily Turner**, Mahuri M **Hugo Cabral**, Mahuri B **James McConaghy**, Mahuri I **Florence Marr**. Piwakawaka L **Dibisha Thapa**, Piwakawaka W **Beau Ballagh**, Piwakawaka K **Maddox Hawkins**. Opuke T **Imogen Turney**, Opuke C **Cam McCaw**.

STAR Awards Sporting **Abbey Marr**. Trustworthy **Kate Ferguson-Cooke**. Accepting **Kelly Lingard-Davidson**. Responsible **Aidan Bungard**.

Stellar Awards Piwakawaka Community Award- For commitment to extra curricular activities in the wider community (Donated by Garage Gym, includes \$50 voucher) **Lily Newport**. MPS Highest Achieving Male Athlete - School based disciplines Swimming, X Country & Athletics (Donated by Whitehead Family) **Josh Lowe**. MPS Highest Achieving Female Athlete - School based disciplines Swimming, X Country & Athletics (Donated by Whitehead Family) **Annalise King**. MPS Overall Academic Excellence **Cameron Meadows**. MPS STAR Male **Patterson Johnson**. MPS STAR Female **Annalise King**. **Winning House** MPS House Trophy (Donated by Jack & Rosemary Taggart) for 2021: **Kakariki/Green**.



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Annie Jacobs

NZ Army Band visit

The New Zealand Army Band visited Methven Preschool on Tuesday morning for their Christmas Party.

The children from the preschool joined in with playing their instruments and singing along to Christmas Carols, led by the Army Band.

People's Choice Finalists

The five finalists in the ANZ Business of the Year Awards People's Choice in Retail Category have been announced.

Just over 500 votes were cast when the voting period ended on 30 November and the top five (in no particular order) are The Stork Network, Big Al's, Stoked Cycles, Hyundai Mid Canterbury and Garage Gym.

The winner and runner-up in the People's Choice in Retail category will be announced at the awards gala evening on 18 February 2022. Ashburton District Council is partnering with ANZ and Ri Ra Events to host the inaugural event, which aims to recognise and promote local business excellence. Council Community Services Group Manager Steve Fabish said

voting in the People's Choice award had been close and just one vote separated first and second.

"It has been great to see people voting for their favourite business or outlet and it turned out to be as close as it can get. There were 11 businesses in the category and they were a real variety, all with good voting support. We look forward to honouring the finalists and winners of all the different categories at the awards evening next year."

Mayor Brown said the district's business community had dealt with a lot in the past two years.

"COVID has had quite an impact and forced many to rethink how they connect with customers. The majority of our local businesses are small to medium enterprises and they have had to adapt to new and changing circumstances. I'm proud of our whole business community, from those selling coffee to those fixing tractors. As a district, we will emerge from these challenging times in reasonably good shape. All our prospects are intertwined, so supporting our local businesses and services is very important."

Finalists in the other categories will be announced later this month.

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Fonterra undertakes risk assessment

As you will be aware, over the past few months there have been a number of changes to New Zealand's response to the COVID pandemic. The Delta variant has entered our country, the use of vaccination as a safety control has become widely available, and the Government has requirements in place based on vaccination status.

We have recently conducted a thorough risk assessment to understand the ongoing risk COVID 19 poses to our people while at work in this environment. This has shown us that COVID 19 continues to be a risk in our workplaces and that vaccination is one of the best tools we have to protect our people from the ongoing spread of the virus.

As such, we have started consultation with all of our New Zealand employees on both the risk assessment, and a proposed COVID 19 vaccination policy. If implemented, it would require that from 1 March 2022 all Fonterra roles across all New Zealand workplaces - including Farm Source stores, offices and operational sites - must be performed by people who are fully vaccinated.

You and your teams form an important part of the wider Farm Source community. It is our intention that, if implemented, the above requirement would apply to contractors, vendors, visitors and other third parties that may be entering a Farm Source Store and any Farm Source or Fonterra workplaces.

The proposal is a draft, and no decisions will be made until consultation with our employees is complete and we have considered all feedback. Once we have a final position (which we anticipate we will reach early in the New Year), we will share the outcome so that you are aware of what it means for your business and engagement with Farm Source, and have time to make any changes needed. In the meantime, please continue to work with your relevant Farm Source contacts. Like you, we remain committed to doing everything we can to keep our people, operations, and communities safe from COVID 19, and would like to thank you for your ongoing support.

Finally, from all of the Farm Source team, we hope you have a very happy holiday season.

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Methven Care Trust launches new concept plan



Methven Care Trust unveiled fresh new concept plans for a multi-stage aged care complex last week at its Annual General Meeting (AGM).

Independent villas and serviced apartments are new features of the proposed development in the heart of Camrose subdivision.

Expressions of interest for villas and apartments are now being taken - enquiries to: admin@methvencaretrust.co.nz

The trust's original concept plans focused on a rebuild of the Methven House resthome, but professional advice suggests the addition of independent living options will ensure the entity is financially viable.

Chairperson Janine Holland said the trust had worked hard over the past few months to consult the community to determine what was missing in the complex, and what would make it sustainable.

"Villas and serviced apartments allow people to remain independent, yet have the assurance of adjacent rest home care if and when needed. We are confident of a positive response from locals given the interest shown to date."

Other items reported back at the AGM included the audited accounts, which provide full transparency on how the trust is managing its funds. Copies of the audited accounts can be accessed by emailing admin@methvencaretrust.co.nz. A professional fundraiser has also been secured to work with the trust to support conversations with donors who wish to contribute to the project.

The trust was originally gifted 1.5 acres of land off Alma Place to purpose-build a new aged-care facility, and subsequently bought four adjoining sections to future proof the development. Methven House is coming to the end of its useable life and the new facility will provide modern care in a vibrant, attractive part of Methven.



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FROM THE EDITOR (Mai i te Etita)

Annie Jacobs



This is the last issue of the year of your Snowfed.

What a great year it has been! You, our amazing community have put on some fantastic events and had wonderful achievements to celebrate.

Snowfed highlights for me have included:

- the wonderful work that our Snowfed Delivery people do in all weather, week after week - they only get 3-4 weeks off per year! Thanks team!
- observing the mind-blowing effort that our communities' incredible athletes put in at major events such as GODZone, Coast to Coast and Mission Mt Somers
- Jean Kane's 100th birthday
- Methven A and P Show and Ute Muster
- Bara Padertova's selfless, long, fundraising walk and the Dance for David campaign for David Dirks
- the Mt Hutt Road Board Office Building (now Methven Toy Library) receiving the town's first Blue Plaque
- fantastic comedy events coming to Methven
- the wonderful work our community volunteers do, and others who work so hard for our community
- Methven Scarecrow Trail
- the amount of work that The Snowfed's regular article contributors put in - thank you
- the fun, wonderful activities that our Foothills communities' clubs and sports groups do
- seeing the hard work that Methven Community Board and Methven Lions do
- Methven Ploughing Competition
- the New Zealand Rolls Royce and Bentley Annual National Rally being held here
- our community ANZAC Day Commemoration
- 125th Methven Rugby Celebrations

- the national Paintaway
- Murray Dickson's 50 Years of Service to Methven Fire Brigade
- Mount Hutt College Diversity Day
- The launching of Staveley Ice Rinks Refrigeration Project
- Mountain Bike Championships at Mt Hutt Bike Park
- new businesses opening; Johnatello's Pizza Inferno, The Lightroom, HeliRural Methven, The Shebeen, Warung Bali, Jungle Bar, The English Garden, Opuke Thermal Pools and Spa, and Garage Wardrobe
- Sir Bob Charles coming to play golf at Methven Golf Course
- Mount Hutt College's success at the Dance Competitions
- the wonderful feedback many of you have given to me about the Snowfed - thank you so very much

Our community is a vibrant, diverse, adventurous place to live! We celebrated and were grateful for our health, our

birthdays, our community heroines and heroes, personal and club sporting achievements, our jobs, livelihoods and businesses.

We cleaned up farms, roadsides, rubbish, flood damage, gardens, houses, back cupboards, waterways and paddocks.

Lockdown meant that many were able to sew, bake, cook, do craft projects, DIY, do school at home and spend time together.

A very special thanks to Sue Kolodzinski who unstintingly has volunteered her time weekly to do the proofreading of The Snowfed. Thank you Sue!

Now we are nearing the end of a very busy year. Take the time to take great care of yourselves, your families, those who have no one to care for them, and those who are precious to you. Be patient, loving and kind. Drink responsibly, drive safely, and holiday well.

Annie

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MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR !		

Dear Editor,

While watching TV lately I saw that NZTA are making some speed changes around the country. So I made a call to ask whether or not the 100km speed zone from Racecourse Ave to the Racecourse was being looked at. I was told that this wasn't even being considered until at least 2024 as it wasn't in the budget or had even been brought up.

There have been a few close calls by cars within the 50km area of Methven between Racecourse Ave and Spaxton St, as cars don't slow to 50km before entering town. This is unacceptable. I would like to ask the good people of Methven who use the Walkway, have built or are building a house in the new Camrose or Equus subdivisions, Parents who walk their kids to the Walkway, and users of both the Methven Racecourse and newly built Opuke Thermal Pools to send a short email to: **James.Long@nzta.govt.nz** and ask that they send somebody for just one hour to monitor the speed of vehicles going in and out of the town in this area.

Lets get this speed zone changed to a more safer speed. Nobody wants to be hit by a vehicle and I'm sure nobody would want any accidents to happen around this small but growing community.

Mark Harris

Mark's letter was forwarded to Dan McLaughlin from Methven Community Board, who responds:

We have had this road on the radar for some time. We were giving information that speed limited could not be changed until the entrance to the hot pools was completed. When they started the entrance, we raised our concerns with Council roading team. Then in August we did a presentation to the Ashburton District Road Safety Co-ordinating Committee (ADRSCC). Below you will see the follow-up from John Keenan NZTA. This was also sent to James Long, maybe He does need a couple of hundred emails in his inbox to refresh his memory.

From John Keenan:

I have passed on your community's concerns re the SH77 Methven north end speed limit and the need for a footpath extension from Racecourse Avenue to Holmes Road to our

- Regional Manager Maintenance and Operations
- Network Manager
- Senior Safety Engineer
- Speed Management Programme delivery Project Manager

So they are now all aware of the changes you want made.

Our Senior Safety Engineer James Long has confirmed that subject to design, there is no reason why a footpath could not be constructed here on SH77.

Waka Kotahi NZ Transport Agency typically don't built and maintain footpaths in peri urban areas such as this and we would be unlikely to obtain funding to do so, but Council could, and would if the speed management changes are made in due course.

James has checked Safety Improvement Programme pipeline and this corridor (SH77) is up for 'speed management' review, but realistically its 3 to 6 years away at best.

He doesn't believe this corridor will be a particularly high priority at this stage and it's also one of our lowest classification state highways. Mega Maps indicates that the collective risk is low-medium, and personal risk is medium, so no 'quick fix' is available in the short term.

Letters to the Editor are welcome, and may be abridged at the Editor's discretion.

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Core HS thank you for all your support through 2021

We hope you have an enjoyable and relaxing festive season.

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Rob and Jane

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Christmas Wishes

Many gratifying thanks go to my lovely clients and Tai Chi class ladies for again making this year a great success of fun and learning.

You'll all be thought of with warmth over the holiday period.

This past year has been difficult for many.

May the magic of Christmas help bring you joyous moments, along with the sprinkle of laughter, giving the light of love to those that need it most.

I'm wishing all these to be yours at Christmas.

Merry Christmas, stay safe over the festive period and I look forward to seeing you in 2022.

Margaret

Methven Red Cross wishes everyone a safe and Happy Christmas and New Year

Our shop will be closed from 18 December and reopens on 6 January.

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Thanks for being a very generous community.

Red Cross Methven





It's been a big year and, as 2021 winds to an end, it's great to see people here in Rangitata enjoying the start to summer despite the cool weather!

Thank you to everyone who's helped to make our move into the framework smooth: business owners who've sorted their vaccine pass protocol, friends meeting up for a coffee with their passes on hand, and all those making sure to keep masking up and scanning in.

It's a testament to our community's commitment to keep us all as safe as possible. With the new way of managing COVID, we can look forward to a summer with fewer disruptions and more certainty. We will be able to plan with greater confidence, because our high vaccination rates mean lockdowns are no longer our main line of defence against COVID.

Of course, it's still really important to keep up those key health behaviours like scanning in wherever we go, and wearing face coverings when we're out and about. The vaccine has given us a new, powerful tool against COVID. Across all settings of the new framework, vaccine passes are helping to ensure our communities, workplaces and events stay safe.

At Orange, vaccine passes mean restrictions like being seated and separated, or limiting the number of people able to enter, are no longer required in many places – if all customers and staff are fully vaccinated. In these settings, vaccine passes add an extra layer of protection for people who can't be vaccinated, like young children.

Thank you to everyone here in the Ashburton District who has stepped up to get the vaccine. It's brilliant that nearly 92% of eligible people in the district have received both doses, and it's great news that the whole country is on track to reach the milestone of 90% fully vaccinated very soon.

If you don't have a My Vaccine Pass yet, I really encourage you to get yours sorted now to ensure you don't miss out on the things you enjoy. If you're fully vaccinated, you can request your pass by visiting mycovidrecord.nz or by calling 0800 222 478. If you'd like a hand downloading or printing your pass, feel free to get in

touch, and our team will be more than happy to help.

Over the past couple of years, people across Mid Canterbury have worked hard to look out for each other. This has allowed us to enter this new phase better placed than many other countries, with fewer hospitalisations and deaths, a strong economy, and one of the highest vaccination rates in the world.

Thank you, again, for keeping each other safe through the pandemic.

Have a happy and safe holiday season, the work you've all put in means we're now able to look forward to another great Mid Canterbury summer, and more opportunities in 2022.

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Mary Ralston

The weather has been uninspiring for gardening, to say the least, but it's not all bad.

The cool tolerant crops, such as potatoes and brassicas, are doing very well. Many gardeners have broccoli, cauli and cabbages all maturing at once... congratulations if you managed to stagger them. Broad beans have also provided bumper crops.

Crops that are not so enthusiastic about the continuous greyness are the heat-loving tomatoes, peppers and basil. Greenhouses need to be well-ventilated to try to keep fungal diseases at bay. Don't water much, or not at all, and just wait till the sun comes out again. Aphids like to lurk on the underneath of leaves and growing tips of basil, in lettuces and on herbs such as dill. It's best not to worry too much about these, just wash the lettuces thoroughly before eating and pick basil regularly – wash well and then make pesto or toss in a salad or scrambled eggs. On very small lettuces or young basil, aphids could be sprayed with a soap spray, neem or pyrethrum, or squash them carefully. Keep an eye out for aphids on tomatoes, the tell-tale sign is a yellowing of the leaves. Look underneath and there may be aphids (squash or spray with neem or pyrethrum early in the morning before bees are up).



Don't use any stronger pesticide as it is likely to kill beneficial insects.

Stone fruit trees are also susceptible to aphids, which love the underside of cherry and plum trees and make them curl up, which looks a lot like the fungal leaf curl disease. They can be sprayed with the above-mentioned sprays but sometimes it is tricky because the leaf is so curled the spray may not reach the inside area where the aphids are.

There are lots of peaches this year. It was great to get away with few hard frosts (unlike last year) and many trees are loaded, but stone fruit hates high humidity and leaf curl and brown rot can occur. There's little that can be done once the tree is in leaf – preventative copper sprays are best applied when the tree is dormant in winter and spring.

If you do see peaches with brown patches, it's best to remove them so the spores don't spread to other trees and fruit. It's a good lesson in only planting disease-resistant varieties and keeping the soil and plants healthy.

Whatever the weather dishes out this summer, enjoy your garden. Every year there are good crops and failures, and plenty of veges in between.

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Merry Christmas and thanks for reading my column.



Weekly Community Heroes

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Chris Gottermeyer

Chris Doig

Kendall Sparrow

Sam Clark

The Winner is
Rachel Keenan

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them.

METHVEN BOWLING CLUB

The weather has put a real damper on everything this week, but we still managed to have a terrific evening with the staff from Supervalu who came to us for their Christmas party.

All dressed up in their Christmas outfits, they let rip out on the green with great enthusiasm and fun. We were watching some of those guys putting up some really good bowls. I imagine we may see some of you back in the new year when we have our Have a Go Nights on Fridays.... just saying.

Both our supermarkets have looked after us this year especially during the hard times of COVID, so we want to say that we do appreciate what you do.

The wet weather put paid to some of the Centre events that had been planned - many rained off days. However as a consequence, seven of our men went into Christchurch this weekend to play in the Centre Men's Sevens on Saturday (where they qualified) and back again on Sunday where they had to play in much nicer conditions than we were having here in Methven. Jeff Nowell (singles), Brentton Donaldson and Rob Fensom (Pairs), Aaron Allred, Brent Mayson, Bruce Harper and Bruce Redmond (fours) played over the two days at Burnside Bowling Club. They played their hearts out and made it to the

final against Elmwood who took out the title. Very well done boys for getting that far. We are so proud of you.

Our Championship games continue when there is a break in the weather. Some of these games are really good to watch so the clubhouse gets full of spectators - all of whom have something to say about every shot. I do find that it is much easier to play well from the chairs inside. You simply know all the shots. It creates a lovely convivial atmosphere nonetheless.

To our members; remember that we are having our Christmas Dinner on Friday 17th December, so bring a salad or dessert to share, and a male and female gift for Santa to give out.

Have a wonderful Christmas and New Year everyone.

Till next year,

Pat Mac



Catholic Womens League Raffle

1st 201 N Friend

2nd 195 Katrina McArthur

3rd 243 J Drummond

Thank you to all who supported us.

Methven Croquet Club Raffle drawn on Friday December 10th 2021

1st 552 Gayle O'Duffy

2nd 120 Sally Withell

3rd 284 Steve Gerrard

The Methven Croquet club wish to thank all who brought tickets. Winners have been contacted.

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Busy Time at the Methven Golf Club

It has been a busy few months at the Golf Club, led by the weekly R&R Spreading Sponsored Thursday twilight. Numbers playing has steadily increased to a peak of 58. The final round is Thursday with a Christmas theme incorporating the presentation of prizes. A big thank you to sponsors R&R Spreading, Terrace Downs, Methven Supervalu, Hammer Hardware, The Alpine Grind, and Sega Golf.

Junior Golf has continued to flourish. Mark Breach and Pete Wood are organising a tournament this Sunday for the players to end a successful year.

The Philip Wareing Ltd two day multi-sponsored tournament was a great success attracting 184 players.

Unfortunately the weather intervened and the Christmas Tournament had to be cancelled at the weekend.

The AGM was held last Tuesday. Outgoing President, Pete Wood, was thanked for his effort in leading the Club during the last two difficult years. In his President's report he commented, "Successful running of an organisation depends on having a good team and, that, I have been fortunate to be part of."

Visitors have been frequent over the last few months from both the North and South Islands. All have been amazed by the quality of the course.

The individual highlight has been Sir Bob Charles playing at Methven for the first time in 85 years and praising the course afterwards.

The High Country Classic, sponsored by Molloy Agriculture Limited in association with Philip Wareing Ltd, to be held 29, 30 January has already attracted a near capacity field. It is great that there will be many new players, even from the North Island, going to play Terrace Downs and Methven.

Officers elected at the AGM:

Patron: **Mike Gray**

President: **Ross Breach**

Vice President:

Men's Club Captain: **Piers Rolton**

Vice Club Captain: **Steve Schwass**

Secretary: **Peter Harper**

Treasurer: **Simon Wareing**

Auditor: **James Anderson**

Assistant Finance: **Sharryn Bree**

Ladies' Club Captain: **Sharon Burrell-Smith**

House Convenor: **Peter Kemp**

Deputy House: **John McGettigan**

House Committee: **Geoff Rhodes, Steph Tantau, Denise Dixey**

9-Hole Convenor: **Annette Maw, Mike Markillie**

Junior Golf Convenor: **Mark Breach**

Greens Committee: **Russell Currie, John Robinson, James Anderson, Chris Cavanagh**

Men's Match Convenor: **Piers Rolton**

Match Committee: **Michael Kemp, Keith Middleton, Steve Schwass**

Ladies Match Convenor: **Sharon Burrell-Smith**

Ladies Match Committee: **Ruth Smith**

Social Convenor: **Andrew Gorman**

Social Committee: **Geoff Rhodes**

Landscaping Committee: **Mike Markillie, Jenny Senior**

Ex-Officio: **Pete Wood**

A special thank you to the sponsors and advertisers, who have supported the Club this year.

Merry Christmas and enjoy a round of golf in 2022.



10 - 31 December

Anita Blake 82

Yumi Blake 53

Prue Ensor

Julia Batt 26

Abi Cavanagh 16

Nitish Manhas

Simon Wareing

Sam Slaven 7

Jessica Macdonald 30

Michelle Datl 7

Neil Charlesworth

Benjamin van Loggenberg 2

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Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and a safe and festive new year. We look forward to seeing you in 2022. From the team at Bayleys Methven.

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